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METAL QUOTATIONS	
Silver	82 7-8
Copper	29-30
Lead	11
Quicksilver	\$110

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EXEMPTIONS SURPRISE ARMY

LARGE PERCENTAGE OF CLAIMS WILL BE DISALLOWED

RUSSIA WILL EMERGE TRIUMPHANT IN END

(By Associated Press.) WASHINGTON, Aug. 9.—Russia, newest of democracies, grows stronger of heart and purpose daily, and with the help of the United States, can be depended upon to do her part in the great war and emerge a powerful state. This was the message brought to President Wilson and Secretary Lansing today by Klara Root and his fellow members of the American mission sent to Russia three months ago.

Unqualified encouragement from the United States, moral and financial when necessary, is essential to keeping life in the new government the commissioners agreed. A separate peace with Germany is the greatest fear. Left to fight along with her present government in control, the president was told, Russia will emerge triumphant and strong, but if either by great masses of troops or propaganda Germany should accomplish the overthrow of the Kerensky government, the outlook would be dark indeed.

Only one written report, it is understood, was submitted to Secretary Lansing. It was not made public and may not be. From high sources,

It is known, however, that the commission was agreed on virtually all essentials. There may have been differences of opinion as to the best method for obtaining results, but the opinion of present conditions and high hopes for the future was unanimous. None was stronger in his conviction that there is the greatest hope for Russia than Mr. Root himself. Though conservative by virtue of long diplomatic and political experience, it was with difficulty that he suppressed his enthusiasm. Other members of the party who shared his optimism and discussed their view were Charles Edward Russell, a former socialist, James Duncan, a labor leader, and Major Stanley Washburn, a man of long experience in Russian affairs. The latter two were agreed that one great need of Russia is publicity regarding America's intentions in the war.

Mr. Russell went a little farther than the others by declaring emphatically in favor of sending American troops to the eastern front immediately. He said their presence would be of the greatest value in strengthening the morale of the Russians.

WILL SIGN FOOD BILL TOMORROW

FIRST ACT WILL BE TO APPOINT HOOVER AS CHIEF ADMINISTRATOR

(By Associated Press.) WASHINGTON, Aug. 9.—The president will sign the food control and food survey bills tomorrow. The first step probably will be the appointment of Hoover as administrator.

RUSS CONDITIONS ARE NOT IDEAL

AS STRONG AS CIRCUMSTANCES PERMIT ARE THE SIGNS OF IMPROVEMENT

(By Associated Press.) LONDON, Aug. 9.—Special dispatches from Russia reviewing construction of the new ministry agree that although not ideal, it probably is as strong as circumstances permit. The first necessity is restoration of order and discipline in the army.

Internal disorganization is hardly less serious. Factories have been brought to a standstill owing to a lack of fuel, due to lack of transportation while lengthening lines wait at the doors, murmuring apprehensively that is Kerensky falls the Russian democracy will have a hard time recovering from the blow.

ACCEPTED FOR THE ARMY

Ralph Wardle received a letter today from his son Austin R. Wardle, dated at Fort McDowell, Calif., stating that he had passed the examination and had sent his civilian clothing home. He has been assigned to Recruit Co. No. 17 and expects to be ordered to Fort Sam Houston, Texas, for training in the aviation corps. Bob Bilyeu, of Tonopah, is in the same company.

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TODAY AND A YEAR AGO

Official readings of the thermometer by the United States observer at Tonopah

	1917	1916
5 a. m.	67	56
9 a. m.	80	65
12 noon	86	74
2 p. m.	88	77
Maximum Aug. 8	88	80
Minimum Aug. 8	67	59
Relative humidity at 2 p. m.		
today, 21 per cent.		

DIPHTHERIA IN MILITARY CAMP

DISEASE BREAKS OUT AND CALLS FOR SPECIAL SANITARY MEASURES

(By Associated Press.) NEWPORT, R. I., Aug. 9.—Medical Inspector Theodore W. Richards of the American Red Cross inspected the diphtheria situation here and sent for Dr. Frost, head of the newly established sanitary division of the Red Cross who will see today what can be done to prevent the spread of the disease.

There were 28 new cases today, making a total of 254 for the last seven days. None of the new cases were among the seamen or naval reserves stationed here.

ARIZONA APACHES UNDER ARREST

RINGLEADER TAKEN IN CHARGE AND ORDER RESTORED AT ASBESTOS MINE

(By Associated Press.) TUCSON, Aug. 9.—With the arrest of two ringleaders among the Apache strikers at the asbestos mines, fears of an uprising are allayed. All white miners who took refuge in the mountains pass have returned unharmed.

AMERICAN STEAMSHIP IS BURNED AT SEA

(By Associated Press.) WASHINGTON, Aug. 9.—The steamship Navajo caught fire at sea and was abandoned, the crew being landed in safety.

ODESSA IS OBJECTIVE OF TEUTONS

DRIVING HARD TO ENTER THE GRAIN BELT WHERE HARVEST IS GOING ON

(By Associated Press.) LONDON, Aug. 9.—A dispatch from Odessa strengthens the belief that the objective of the present German offensive in the south of Russia. Crops are being harvested there and the Germans doubtless will try to secure them before they can be removed.

NAVAL RECRUIT ARRESTED FOR A MURDER IN JULY

APPRENTICE AT YERBA BUENA TURNED OVER TO NEW MEXICO AUTHORITIES

(By Associated Press.) SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 9.—George Cavender, aged 22, a naval apprentice, arrested at Yerba Buena training station today for the murder of Frank Brownwell in New Mexico, has confessed, according to the authorities. The murder occurred July 5, just before Cavender enlisted.

CUTTING DOWN U. S. DIVISIONS

GEN. PERSHING DECIDES ON VARIOUS CHANGES IN ARMY ORGANIZATION

(By Associated Press.) WASHINGTON, Aug. 9.—General Pershing after studying conditions at the front, today recommended reducing of American army divisions to the European standard of 19,000 men. Also a revival of the old army corps at the major tactical unit. This is better for trench warfare, but it means a big job for the war department.

BRILLIANT AURORA VISIBLE LAST NIGHT

WIRE COMMUNICATION DISTURBED IN NORTH BY ELECTRICAL DISPLAY

(By Associated Press.) CHICAGO, Aug. 9.—An aurora borealis, or northern lights, interrupted wire communication over the northern part of the United States and all of Canada last night. The display which became visible shortly before midnight, was wonderful in Colorado.

OKLAHOMA COUNTY CALLS FOR FEDERAL ASSISTANCE

(By Associated Press.) MUSKOGEE, Okla., Aug. 9.—The county attorney of Ottawa county has appealed to the United States marshal for aid. It is reported that I. W. W.'s dynamited several railroad cars and caused other trouble.

(By Associated Press.) RICHMOND, Va., Aug. 9.—The nomination of Westmoreland Davis for governor of Virginia as yesterday's democratic primaries was conceded tonight by his opponents. With the returns three-fourths complete it seemed likely that his plurality would be between 5,000 and 8,000.

CANADIAN PUBLISHER DYNAMITED

OWNER OF MONTREAL STAR BLOWN UP BY OPPONENTS OF DRAFT

(By Associated Press.) MONTREAL, Aug. 9.—The summer home of Lord Athelstan, publisher of the Montreal Star, was dynamited. Athelstan was in the residence but was not injured. The house was badly damaged. The Star has been advocating conscription.

ELEVEN PERSONS CHARGED WITH THWARTING LAW

OBSTRUCTORS OF THE DRAFT ARRESTED IN SAN FRANCISCO FOR CONSPIRACY

(By Associated Press.) SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 9.—All eleven persons named with Attorney Daniel O'Connell in federal warrants charging conspiracy to thwart the draft law, will be arrested today. One defendant lives in Stockton. Christopher McCulloch and Carl Wacker have already been arrested.

O'Connell was arrested after making an address before a gathering termed "the sixth American conference of democracy and terms of peace." His arrest was denounced from the platform by former United States Senator John D. Works, Mrs. Alice Park, a member of the Ford peace party and other pacifists. O'Connell's bail was fixed at \$10,000.

WAR PRICE POLICY EFFECTIVE TODAY

DRASTIC ACTION WILL BE TAKEN IF NECESSARY TO GET RESULTS

(By Associated Press.) WASHINGTON, Aug. 9.—Work of putting the government's war price policy into operation for purchasing war materials on a "reasonable profits" basis begun today by the war industries board, includes assurances that the American public will be protected against profiteering. The board is preparing to adopt drastic action to reduce prices in case negotiations with producers and manufacturers fail.

PLENTY OF FRUIT JARS FOR OUR HOUSEWIVES

(By Associated Press.) WASHINGTON, Aug. 9.—Department of agriculture reports indicate that there will be enough glass jars new and old together to care for the bulk of the season's perishable fruit and vegetables. Over 900,000 of one type of jar alone have been distributed.

FORMER PRESIDENT TAFT ALMOST FULLY RECOVERED

(By Associated Press.) CLAY CENTER, Kan., Aug. 9.—W. H. Taft, who has been ill several days, passed a comfortable night but was not able to continue his speaking tour.

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Tightening the Lines So That Unpatriotic Will Fail to Escape

(By Associated Press.) WASHINGTON, Aug. 9.—The surgeon general has issued changes in the regulations governing the physical examination of registered men which may result in recalling some men repeated heretofore on physical grounds. The new regulations grant an underweight allowance of five to six pounds for men between 64 and 67 inches in height to 12 pounds for men above 75 inches. This reduces the normal weight requirements for tall men. The chest expansion allowance is slightly changed. Poor teeth will be closely scrutinized and men will be enrolled if dental work may restore teeth. A punctured ear drum may be accepted. Defects of vision are less strict.

TAKE POSITIONS FROM THE ENEMY

(By Associated Press.) PARIS, Aug. 9.—In the region of Chevreigny ridge and Pantheon there was artillery activity today. French detachments cleared a Teuton trench north of Vaux les Palameix on the Aisne, inflicting losses and returning to their own lines unhurt.

INSULT PRESIDENT IN THE CAPITOL

PACIFISTS TALK OF IMPEACHING WILSON AT PUBLIC MEETING

(By Associated Press.) WASHINGTON, Aug. 9.—Pacifists held a meeting under the dome of the capitol and demanded that congress stay in session until it repealed the draft law and voiced threats of an attempt to impeach the president unless this were done. Senator Chamberlain permitted the use of the military committee room for the meeting, unaware that it would be used for an attack on the president.

MAY SEND TROOPS TO GUARD ARIZONA

MINE OPERATORS DECLARE THEMSELVES SUPERIOR TO THE LAW

(By Associated Press.) TUCSON, Aug. 9.—Attorney General Jones informed Governor Campbell that only federal troops will overcome the "unlawful deportations" of agitators from Bisbee which the committee declares will continue daily, regardless of law. The governor is en route to Bisbee to investigate.

The attorney general reported that he had been "courteously informed" by Bisbee's controlling committee that the determination is fixed that the daily practice of the committee hearing deportations will be continued.

NEW ZEALAND REPORTS SEVERE EARTHQUAKE

(By Associated Press.) WELLINGTON, N. Z., Aug. 9.—Severe earthquake shocks are reported at Warapa, northwest of Wellington. No casualties.

(By Associated Press.) SACRAMENTO, Aug. 9.—Adjutant General Borree issued a statement today declaring the military authorities have been taken by surprise at the vast number of exemption claims. "Steps must be taken to disallow a large percentage of the claims. The boards are expected to pull exemptions tight from now on. I believe that every married man whose wife is in good health is able to support herself and should be made to go to the front. A wife may be put to inconvenience, even to distress, as compared with the present condition, but that is not to be considered by the boards. They

200 DRAFT RIOTERS HELD FOR REBELLION

(By Associated Press.) M'ALESTER, Okla., Aug. 9.—Department of justice officials today began filing complaints against more than 200 draft rioters held in the state penitentiary and county jail here.

Twelve men were charged with rebellion. Taking of depositions has postponed the preliminary hearings, more than half of the draft resisters having displayed a desire to tell officials what they know of the Working Class union and the propaganda spread through the counties of southeastern Oklahoma to evade operations of the selective draft.

(By Associated Press.) MUSKOGEE, Okla., Aug. 9.—United

THIRD RESTRAINING ORDER ISSUED AGAINST THE MORNING GLORY

Notwithstanding the action of Judge Walsh in the White Caps vs. Morning Glory litigation in dissolving two restraining orders, the White Caps people again made application to Judge Walsh, who had gone to Hawthorne to hold court, for another restraining order and this was granted by Judge Walsh last evening about six o'clock. It appears the reason why the two previous restraining orders were dissolved is that the moving papers, affidavits, etc., did not sufficiently present a case of irreparable damage justifying relief. The showing made to Judge Walsh for the third restraining order was much more ample and elaborate than in the previous proceedings and the writ was promptly issued.

H. R. Cooke, attorney for the White Caps company, who returned several days ago from the coast, together with John G. Kirchen, the president and general manager, left Tonopah for Hawthorne yesterday at about half past eleven in E. H. McMurray's new Marmon car, with Fred Jenks at the wheel, and reached Hawthorne, a distance of 100 miles, at about three o'clock. After obtaining the restraining order, they returned to Tonopah, making the trip in about four hours. The restraining order and other moving papers were immediately sent out to Manhattan by E. H. McMurray as process server, to be served upon the Superintendent of the Morning Glory, so as to put an immediate stop to further trespass entry in the White Caps grounds. The injunction was served on William Hart, the Morning Glory superintendent at about three o'clock this morning and he discontinued work immediately.

should also investigate the claims of dependent mothers and probably discover that in some cases the mother has been supporting her son."

(By Associated Press.) SALT LAKE, Aug. 9.—A telegram from United States Senator Smoot to the president of the Bingham Commercial club says that members or the senate military committee favor changing the draft law to make unnaturalized citizens liable to conscription. Bingham citizens had protested that the city would be left in the hands of foreigners if the present law was not changed.

States Marshal Enloe was advised by R. N. McMillan, United States commissioner at McAlester last night that a large body of draft rebels had gathered at Scipio, 15 miles north of McAlester and that they had sent in word that they would resist any effort to take them before the district examining board. The rebels are heavily armed, Commissioner McMillan said.

Sheriff Enloe instructed Deputy Peters at McAlester to take 15 men and proceed at once to Scipio.

Six alleged I. W. W. agitators were arrested and others driven from the mining districts. The trouble is believed to have ended.

This last injunctive order will doubtless remain in effect and the Morning Glory people prevented from entering the White Caps property until the litigation is finally determined.

No answer has been filed by the Morning Glory and it is not definitely known on what grounds they base their entry upon the plaintiffs' property.

The White Caps company is busily engaged in getting its mill into running condition and is determined that its property shall not be trespassed upon by the Morning Glory or anybody else. Hence, the energetic measures taken in court.

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FEATURES Today
The Accomplished Screen Favorites
THOMAS MEIGHAN and ANITA KING
—In—
"THE HEIR TO THE MOORAH"
PATHE WEEKLY of Doings All Over the World.
TOMORROW—Valeska Suratt in "The Slave" and Fox Comedy.
SUNDAY—Last Episode of "The Mystery of the Double Cross."
Evening, 7:15 and 8:45.